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JUSTICE AND RIGHT

OSCAR P. SCHUMANN, Editor and Proprietor

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TO SAVE THE YOUNG CHILDREN

(By Margaret Squires)

The death of Peggy has made me feel like crying out, "Oh God, help me shout! Make war! Make war on disease!" In all the world there are even two forces. Against every force, physics teaches us, "there is an equal and opposite force." In life—physical, mental and moral, there are these same two forces—heat and cold; good and bad, life and death. God and Satan.

Years ago people believed (in some lands they still do) that disease was possession of the devil. One of our educators says they are not so far wrong, for though not an actual occupation by a spirit, it is the work of the devil. We now know better than to try to drive him out by incantations. We can do it only by obedience to God's laws. So, and so only can the good win. All disease is evil and all evil is disease. The mental and moral and physical are one and act and react on one another.

Out of every epidemic Grayling has paid toll of one little life if not more, in it was not your child, but it might have been; it may be next time. If were so cold that very little was done all you could stand beside the parents and see their grief and set the beauties of a drowned person or who has been suffocated for any reason it is full little life go out as I have stood and know as I know, that all this is necessary to watch the operations unnecessary, you would fight. That is why I let private duty be its own side care, because fighting them is often too late to save the health and of last winter will meet in front of even the life sometimes, and went to Mrs. E. Kraus' cottage and practice health work to prevent. After the what M. Morrow has shown us, on disease is contracted part of the Thursday at 3:00 p.m.

GAVE LIFE-SAVING TALKS AND DEMONSTRATIONS

On Monday, Mr. Morrow from the Red Cross was at the lake demonstrating the method of life saving, how to rescue those who were about to drown, how to prevent drowning for one's self and how to resuscitate one who was drowned. He said it is not a clamp that drowns one, but fear. If one keeps his head and has courage he cannot drown except from exhaustion. Most drowning is from

year he said. Fear weakens.

He demonstrated how to take care of a person who had just been rescued and what to do first and how to direct others to assist, and what not to do; how to break the hold a drowning person gets on his rescuer and how to prevent his strangling

his rescuer; how to break the hold of a drowning person who has been clinging to each other

and drowning, and so save one, also how sometimes both could be saved.

He said it was not merely strength

and courage that was needed but knowledge and a cool head, and that it really required very little strength.

Mr. Morrow also talked to the men at the factories about prevention of accidents, telling them that accidents

and all evil is disease. The mental

moral and physical are one and act

and react on one another.

The Grayling home hygiene class

held this week Monday evening at the school auditorium with a fair-sized crowd in attendance. M. A.

Bates and H. A. Bauman were re-

elected school trustees, each receiving

an almost unanimous election.

Much to the interest of the tax

payers was the proposed reduction in the amount of money to be raised for

next year, the amount being reduced

from \$35,000 which has been the

amount raised for several years past,

to \$30,000. The board recommended

that that amount be raised and it was

unanimously voted by those present.

The meeting was presided over by

Pres. C. R. Keyport, Secretary M. A.

Bates read the report of the financial

receipts and expenditures for the

year and the summary of the year's

financial status.

At the beginning of the last fiscal

year there was a balance on hand of

\$8,190.18. The receipts for the year

from all sources was \$48,911.53.

Total expenditures amounted to \$46,

726.25 leaving a balance on hand at

the close of the year, July 12th, 1926,

of \$9,305.40.

There is still a bonded indebtedness

on the school building of \$15,000.

The bonds have been retired at the rate

of \$4,000 per year together with the

interest thereon. The sum received

from foreign tuitions amounted last

year to \$1,470.00.

Secretary M. A. Bates and Treasurer

H. A. Bauman were re-elected

each receiving all the votes cast, with

the exception of two. On the first

ballot there were 60 votes cast and in

the latter 64.

M. A. Bates is copying his financial

report which will probably be printed

in our next issue. This will indicate

to whom and for what purpose the

money was expended, as well as a fi-

nancial summary for the fiscal year

just closed.

In a Fourth of July celebration at

Buda-Pesth, the Hungarian prime

minister expressed the hope that

America would long continue the

leap-leap of the world. We

are the first state in the Union to

develop its aviation resources as a

whole.

The cities shown on the accompany-

ing map have indicated their desire to

establish landing fields in their re-

spective communities. An itinerary

will be made later and representatives

will be sent to each city to help lay

out the field.

It is Goodrich, U. S. Army Air

service, is supervising this work, and

all fields will conform to the uniform

standards set by the government.

Wherever and whenever possible Lt.

Goodrich will make his visit by air-

plane.

The first model airport to be laid

out under the auspices of the Aircraft

club is located on Anchor Bay Beach

on the shores of Lake St. Clair. It

will be known as the Colony Airport,

and among its features will be an 8,-

000 candle-power light for night

landings, and a harbor for anchorage

of seaplanes.

Other landing fields of Michigan

were the Field Airport at Dearborn and

Elohamar Airport, now under con-

struction on Grosse Isle, at the junction

of Detroit River and Lake Erie, and

said to be the largest in the

world.

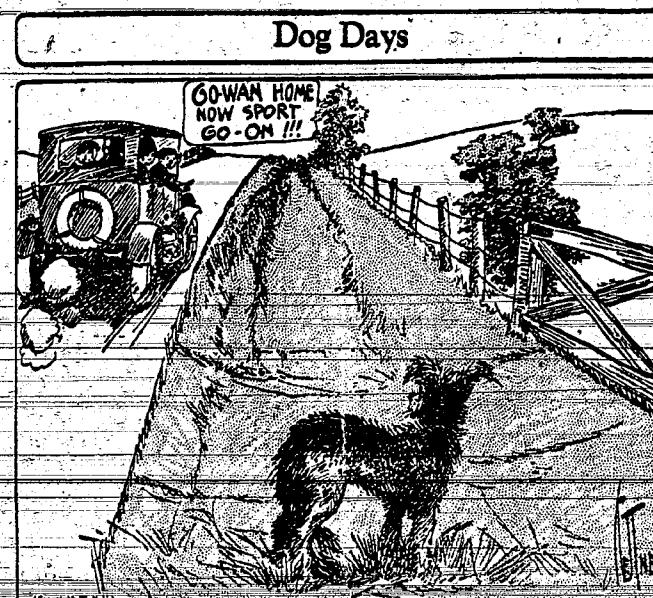
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GRAYLING, MICHIGAN, JULY 15, 1926.

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BATES AND BAUMAN RE-ELECTED

The Chautauqua

SCHOOL BUDGET IS REDUCED \$5,000 OVER LAST YEAR

The opening number of the Chautauqua was given last night, with the three-act dialect comedy drama entitled "Bubbles." It contained not only a couple of hours of real mirth but also introduced an object lesson for this term and that he would have

to try in the October term, sup-

posedly, of course, that Jackson wan-

to appear just the same, at the Ju-

nior term. His bonds of \$1,000 were con-

tinued in force until the October

term.

The civil case of Hans Niedner vs.

A. M. Atkinson for trespass on the

case, was continued.

A decree was granted to Evaline

Davis for divorce vs. Delbert Baker.

The injunction case of Salting Han-

son Company vs. the Village of Gray-

ling was dismissed.

Citizenship papers were granted

Henry Denewett and Sarah E. Mc-

Cracken.

Sheriff Bobomuver, accompanied

by Deputy Frank May, took Ingram

and Rohl to Iron and Jackson prisons,

respectively by auto, leaving Wednes-

day morning.

LITTLE DAUGHTER OF MR. AND

MRS. HUSTED DIES

Margaret Jane, better known as

Peggie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Husted, passed away at Mercy hospital, Friday, July 9, at

four o'clock, from complications fol-

lowing the measles. The Death

angel crept into the home so quietly

and swiftly that the little spirit had

taken its flight before either physi-

cians or parents had realized the

serious condition she was in.

Margaret Jane was born at Lowell,

Michigan, November 1st, 1926, and

was the idol of the home, and the

grief of the stricken parents cannot

be described. Her bright eyes, rosy

cheeks and winsome ways had

dearled her to all her relatives and

friends, and her death leaves a vac-

ancy in the home and hearts of all

which can never be filled, and one

can only bow in humble submission

to him and say, "Dear Lord, Thy Will

be done."

The remains were taken to West

Bethel to the home of Mr. Husted

parents. There the little body rested

among dear flowers. Services

were held at the home Sunday after-

noon and the little body was laid to

rest in Brookside cemetery. She

leaves to mourn her going, a loving

father, mother, sister and brother,

many relatives and a host of friends

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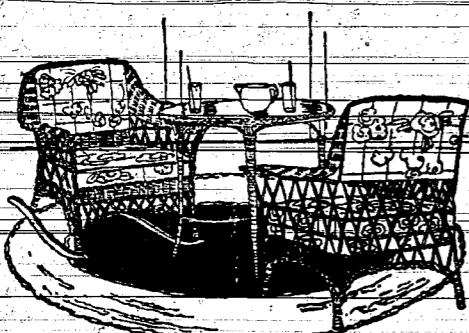
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Six Months	1.00
Three Months	.50
Outside of Crawford County and Roscommon per year	\$2.50

THURSDAY, JULY 15, 1926

WORLD TRAVELERS SUCCUMB
TO LURE OF AUSSABLE RIVER

(Bay City Times Tribune) Last week three men who have a large part in the affairs of the knit goods world, were guests of a Bay Cityan who took them to the AuSable for an outing. The party drove to the Bay City club, had their meals at Stephan's, and fished to their heart's content and the fish were biting, too, were impromptu guests at a birthday party and like all other men who love the outdoors, felt the irresistible charm since their first visit.

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Supervisors' Proceedings

June Session, Monday June 28th, 1926

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford, held at the Court House in the Village of Grayling, on Monday the 28th day of June, 1926.

Roll called. Present: Kellogg, Annis, Goshorn, Nelson, Edmonds, Scott. Absent: None. Board called to order by the chairman.

This time was given to discussion of matters pertaining to assessments and the assessment rolls of the county. Moved by Goshorn, supported by Edmonds that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. Motion carried.

J. E. KELLOGG,
Chairman.
FRANK SALES,
Clerk.

Tuesday, June 29th, 1926
Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called. All members present. Board called to order by the chairman.

Discussion of the assessments, the assessment rolls and other matters pertaining to the affairs of the county was continued.

Moved by Scott, supported by Nelson that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. Motion carried.

J. E. KELLOGG,
Chairman.
FRANK SALES,
Clerk.

Wednesday Session, June 30th, 1926
Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called. All members present. Board called to order by the chairman.

Resolved that a committee be appointed by the chairman to whom shall be delegated the authority to supervise and contract for the exterior repair of the Court-House and jail building. That such repair shall include re-conditioning of the exterior walls of said buildings, and further that said committee shall estimate the cost thereof, and they are hereby authorized to ask for bids for such repair and to accept any or reject any thereof, and that the amount of such expenditure shall not exceed \$500.00. Further, that the payment of such accounts contracted for same shall be endorsed and certified for payment by said committee which same shall be paid from the general fund of the county and the clerk and treasurer are herewith authorized to make such payment accordingly.

Moved by Scott, supported by Goshorn that the foregoing resolution be adopted, approved and adopted.

Yea and Nay vote called. Yea: Scott, Goshorn, Annis, Kellogg, Edmonds, Nelson. Nay: none. Motion carried.

Pursuant to the foregoing resolution the following persons were duly appointed to membership of said committee: A. J. Nelson, Frank Sales, M. F. Nellist.

Moved by Edmonds, supported by Annis that the sum of \$250.00 be and is herewith appropriated from the general fund of the county, to be paid to the Grayling American Legion Post No. 105, as a donation from said fund to said organization.

Yea and Nay vote called. Yea: Edmonds, Annis, Goshorn, Nelson, Kellogg, Scott. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Scott, supported by Goshorn that the matter of equalization of 1926 be referred to the committee on equalization for consideration and report. Motion carried.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EQUALIZATION

State of Michigan.

The Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford:

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors:
Your committee on Equalization beg leave to report that they have examined the assessment rolls of the several townships of Crawford county for the year 1926 and have equalized the same as shown by the following tabulated statement, to-wit:

Township	Assessed Val.	Assessed Real Est.	Assessed Personal Prop.	Total Assessed Val.	Amount added	Amount deducted	Val. from Roads	Aggregate Equal. Val.	Val. of Personal Prop.
Beaver Creek	34,944.30	\$ 26,550	\$ 4,835	\$ 261,425	\$ 4,425	\$ 252,165	\$ 257,000		
Frederick	45,582.29	302,056	35,725	427,781	210	392,975	428,000		
Grayling	87,487.96	1,437,835	441,250	1,879,085	915	1,438,750	1,880,000		
Maple Forest	22,643.71	202,685	2,500	205,185	1,185	201,500	204,000		
South Branch	61,664.88	395,790	12,550	408,340	1,340	394,450	407,000		
Lovells	44,762.41	349,870	7,100	356,970	970	348,900	356,000		
Total	99,465.64	3,034,826	\$503,080	\$3,538,786	\$1,183	\$7,920	\$3,028,040	\$3,532,000	

Dated this 30th day of June, 1926.

Adopted and approved by the Board of Supervisors this 30th day of June, 1926.

J. E. KELLOGG,
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors.
FRANK SALES,
Clerk.

Moved by Scott, supported by Edmonds that the report of the committee on equalization be accepted, approved and adopted, and that the several supervisors be and are herewith authorized and directed to spread the taxes assessed for the year 1926 upon their respective rolls for the several townships according to the equalized report for the ensuing year, and that the assessment rolls thereof stand as equalized in aid report accepted.

Yea and Nay vote called. Yea: Scott, Edmonds, Annis, Goshorn, Kellogg, Nelson. Nay: none. Motion carried.

Moved by Scott, supported by Annis that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. Motion carried.

J. E. KELLOGG,
Chairman.
FRANK SALES,
Clerk.

Thursday, July 1st, 1926
Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called. Present: Kellogg, Annis, Goshorn, Nelson, Edmonds, Scott. Absent: none.

Board called to order by the chairman.

Moved by Scott, supported by Goshorn that the claims and accounts on file be referred to the committee on claims and accounts for audit and report. Motion carried.

Report of the Committee on Claims and Accounts

State of Michigan,

County of Crawford,

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your committee on claims and accounts would respectfully submit the following as their report, and do hereby recommend that the several amounts scheduled herein be allowed, also that the clerk of this board be authorized to draw orders on the county treasurer for the same.

Claimant	Character of Claim	Claimed	Allowed
Grayling Electric Co.	supplies, infirmary	24.19	24.19
L. J. Kraus	supplies, court house	7.52	7.52
Grayling Telephone Co.	telephone account	44.65	44.65
Grayling Fuel Co.	fuel, court house	10.24	10.24
Crawford Avalanche	printing account	54.20	54.20
G. B. Valled	supplies, infirmary	1.65	1.65
Emil Kraus	coroner account	13.75	13.75
Salling Hanson Co.	supplies, court house	5.75	5.75
Salling Hanson Co.	water service, 1925-1926	300.00	160.00
Salling Hanson Co.	water service, 1926-1927	300.00	
Salling Hanson Co.	wood, court house and jail	9.00	9.00
Emil Kraus	Justice account	5.00	5.00
B. E. Smith	school examiners account	22.00	22.00
		8.00	8.00

Signed,

ANTHONY J. NELSON,

O. B. SCOTT,

Committee on Claims and Accounts

Moved by Scott, supported by Goshorn that the report of the committee on Claims and Accounts be accepted, approved and adopted and that the clerk and treasurer be and are herewith authorized to draw warrants in payment thereof from the general fund of the county.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Edmonds that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. Motion carried.

J. E. KELLOGG,
Chairman.

FRANK SALES,
Clerk.

U. S. RADIO CONTROL GONE, SAYS HOOVER

Secretary Merely to Suggest Wave Lengths, Result of Federal Ruling.

FAIR GROUNDS ARE MOST ACCESSIBLE MICHIGAN POINT

Washington.—Government regulation of radio has broken down and voluntary self-regulation by the broadcasting industry is the only bulwark between the \$200,000,000 radio industry and chaos, Secretary Hoover has announced.

His pronouncement followed an opinion by Attorney General Sargent which holds that the secretary of commerce is utterly without power to enforce or deny the use of particular wave lengths or fix the power of individual broadcasting stations.

While the attorney general's opinion leaves the door wide open for the pricing of wave lengths which have been previously denied, officials of the Commerce department expressed the opinion that the industry itself would act to avert undue interference with the regular broadcasting programs.

Present-day radio sets can pick up signals between 200 and 600 meters. Between these limits there are about 90 wave bands, now being used by nearly 350 stations. Last fall the department stopped issuing broadcasting licenses because of the crowded condition of the air, and as a result there are more than 650 applications on file in Secretary Hoover's office.

In view of the Department of Justice ruling, Mr. Hoover has no longer any authority to deny licenses, and they will be granted. Officials of the department said, however, that in the new licenses issued no wave length will be prescribed unless the applicant announces that he plans to use a certain one. In that case the wave length will be incorporated in the license.

Secretary Hoover said that he will endeavor to maintain the reciprocal relation between this country and Canada in the matter of selecting wave length, and expressed the hope that "in the interest of full play" no American station will interfere with any wave length in use by a Canadian station.

It is believed that the legislation which failed at the last session will be enacted when Congress meets in December, the secretary said, but in the meantime all that the department can do is to issue licenses to all applicants and trust to luck there will be no interference.

To Sell Two Government-Owned Steamship Lines

Washington.—Preliminary steps have been taken by the shipping board toward the sale to private interests of the two largest government-owned steamship lines, the United States Lines and the American Merchant Line, both operating out of New York on trans-Atlantic routes.

The United States Lines operate, among other ships, the giant Leviathan with a gross tonnage of 49,350, as well as two other former German liners, the George Washington and the Republic. It also has the American-built steamers President Harding and President Roosevelt of about 14,000 tons gross, and the former German liner, now named the America, which was seriously damaged by fire while undergoing repairs at Newport News. The American Merchant line includes eleven ships of approximately 8,000 tons each, among them five wartime army transports.

Valuable Stone

Pencil stone is a hydrous aluminum silicate. It resembles talc in color, feel, luster and structure. It is used as an ornamental stone, as a gem for slate pencils and for the "talc" or "lithium powder" of commerce. The Chinese call pencil stone. In the United States it is found principally in California and North Carolina.

It is further provided that the said County Road Commission be and are herewith assured that the finance required for this said extension shall be provided at the next annual session of this Board, and until such finances are available that the County Road Commission make use of such funds as are required to construct said road, that are now to their credit in the county road fund, pending the final read the Avalanche, \$2.00 Per Year



In Children's Modes
Taffeta Is Featured

A change is being made in the classification of the poultry exhibit at the next annual Michigan State Fair which will be held at the State Fair Grounds in Detroit from September 5 to September 11.

Members of the State Fair Board have decided this year to recognize the value of the utility and the production birds, and are offering substantial premiums in these classes. The size of the premiums will be based on the number of entries in each class.

It is pointed out that the reclassification in these two classes will not affect the regular exhibition classes which will compete as formerly, but for prizes which have been very materially increased for 1926.

This announcement is expected to lead to the entrance of many birds that would otherwise not be exhibited by poultry farmers of Michigan.

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The assets are represented by upwards of 700 taxicabs—some of which are reported to have disappeared.

After a cursory survey of the assets, Receiver Samuel Howard, former deputy United States marshal, was of the opinion that little could be salvaged for the stockholders—many of them school teachers, small tradesmen and household servants.

Sheep growers of the state are being asked to save their best fleeces to exhibit at the Fair. Competent judges are being secured who are thoroughly cognizant with all the factors to be taken into consideration in judging wool, and sheep growers of the state may rest assured that although new, this department will be carried out with the same care which is given to the older departments of the Michigan State Fair.

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Sheep growers of the state are being asked

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Starts Saturday Morning, July 17th, and Lasts 10 Days

A Store-wide Event. Extraordinary Values that Will Make this Our Greatest Sale!

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Lockwood 9-4 Bleached Sheeting.....	50c
Pequot 42 in. Pillow tubing.....	35c
45 in. Linen finish tubing.....	35c
Berkley 100 Cambric.....	28c
Berkley 60 Cambric.....	21c
Unbleached Cotton.....	12c
Bleached Muslin.....	12 & 15c
35c Linen Toweling.....	29c
30c Linen Toweling.....	22c
15c Crash Toweling.....	11c
Fancy Percales.....	14c
Polo Shirting.....	14c
36c Fancy Ginghams.....	23c
25c Fancy Ginghams.....	19c
All Tub Silks, Fancy Crepes, Crepe De Chine and Radium 20 per cent off	

DON'T MISS THIS SPECIAL

20 Ladies Dresses—Silks, Wool and Jersey. Values, up to \$25.00,—now.....	4.95
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LADIES SUMMER UNDERWEAR

Gowns, Teddies, Slips and Bloomers, all at special prices.

MEN'S ATHLETIC UNION SUITS

50c Suits for.....	39c
\$1.00 Suits for.....	79c

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Exceptional Values in Men's 1- and 2-Pant Suits

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\$30.00 Suits for.....	20.00
\$25.00 Suits for.....	16.67
\$20.00 Suits for.....	13.34

ONE-THIRD OFF ON ALL BOYS' TWO-PANTS SUITS—EVERY SUIT ALL WOOL

1 LOT MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS, COLLAR ATTACHED, VALUES UP TO \$2.50 for.....	\$1.39
Men's \$2.00 Caps for.....	\$1.65
Men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Caps for.....	\$1.85

BOYS' SHOES

Special Values at.....	\$2.19	\$2.39	\$2.49
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MEN'S WORK SHIRTS—SPECIAL

Full Size, Heavy Chambray \$1.00 Values for.....	75c
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CHILDREN'S HOSE—1/2, 3/4 or FULL LENGTH

50c Hose for.....	39c
35c Hose for.....	25c
25c Hose for.....	19c

All our fine Dress Trousers and Knickers at 1/4 off.

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Big Reductions in Our Shoe Dept.

A Special lot of Men's Oxfords at Clean up Prices 1 Lot, per pair.....	\$2.98
1 Lot, per Pair.....	\$3.98
Florsheim Oxfords for.....	\$7.95
\$6.00 Oxfords for.....	\$4.95
1 Lot Work Shoes.....	\$2.59
1 Lot Ladies Low Shoes.....	\$2.85
1 Lot Ladies Low Shoes.....	\$3.95
Ladies Crepe Bloomers.....	39c
3 Pair for.....	\$1.00
1 Lot Ladies Corsets, values \$2.50 to \$5.00 for.....	\$1.00

Sample Blankets

1 Lot All Wool Blankets, full size.....	\$7.95
1 Lot Part Wool Blankets, full size.....	\$3.95
20 Doz. Ladies' Silk Hose, all Colors.....	49c
\$1.50 Pure Silk Hose, All Colors.....	\$1.29
\$1.65 Pure Silk Chiffon Hose, all colors.....	\$1.39

25 Doz. Men's Black Sox Our Regular 15c Value, 3 Pair for.....	25c
Men's 10c White Handkerchiefs, each.....	6c
SPECIAL 20 Children's Coats to go at One-half Price. 15 Ladies' Coats to go at 1/2 price. 50 Girls' Wash Dresses at.....	98c
Men's, Ladies and Children's Bathing Suits at 20% off	

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Local News

THURSDAY, JULY 15, 1926

Miss Ruby Stephan is spending several weeks in Toledo, Ohio.

The Danish Reading club is meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jens Ellerson.

Miss Ethel Quigley of Flint is visiting her cousin Miss Lura Ensign at the home of Phil Quigley.

Mrs. G. V. McGlinch and David Verner of Bay City were in Grayling on business Wednesday.

Miss Helen Gieging of Manistee is spending several weeks at the home of her brother, Emil Gieging.

Mrs. Johannes Rasmussen has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Jens Jorgenson in Detroit.

Mrs. James Post, who is ill with typhoid fever was removed from her home to Mercy hospital yesterday.

Mrs. Marion Murphy who has been in Detroit since last fall has resumed her old position at the A & P. store.

Mrs. S. C. Gothro and sons Roger and Charles of Detroit are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gothro.

Grayling Mercantile Company's July clearance sale starts Saturday and lasts for ten days. Stock up at this sale and save money.

Arthur May, messenger boy for the local Western Union office returned Tuesday from a week's vacation in Lincoming.

Read the Avalanche \$2.00 per year.

Mr. C. R. Keyport was in Detroit on business a couple of days this week. Henry Trudo motored to Carlo Wednesday to be gone for a couple of days.

Mrs. E. V. Wendt, who has been quite ill for some time, is able to be out again and getting along nicely. Ralph Routier of Detroit is spending the week end with his family at the Bauman cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Campbell of Gaylord at Grayling Mercy hospital on Sunday, July 11th, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac LaMotte and daughter Peggy of Detroit are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David LaMotte.

Mrs. A. J. McInnis and Mrs. Glen Penard, who are resorting at one of the lakes near Lewiston were in Grayling Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Kjohede are enjoying a visit from their two grand daughters, Misses Else and Theresa Kjohede of Grant, Mich.

Rev. Fr. E. J. Walters of Byron Center is a guest at St. Mary's parsonage. Fr. Walters was a former pastor of the local St. Mary's church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Laurent motored over from near Big Rapids Sunday and spent a few hours visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mose Laurent.

Mr. and Mrs. William McNeven had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. George Atkinson of Rogers City and Mrs. Agnes Spearman of West Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy O. Milnes are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, who arrived at their home Monday morning. The little miss will be known as Jane Elizabeth.

Miss Ruth Cavanaugh entertained her mother, Mrs. Hattie Cavanaugh of Grand Rapids the first of the week. Her sister, Miss Ruby, who accompanied her mother here is remaining for a week's visit.

"A Message from Mars," one of the most spectacular and thrilling dramas ever produced will be given at the Chautauqua next Sunday night. You will be glad you attended after you hear it. Invite a few friends to attend with you. They will be glad that you mentioned it. Sunday night at 8:00 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roberts and daughters left early this morning on a motor trip expecting to be gone a couple of weeks. They expect first to go to Lansing to visit Mrs. Roberts' sisters, Mrs. William Hoffman and Mrs. Charles White and then to Detroit, where they will take the boat for Cleveland, where they will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ebel, former residents of Grayling. They

also expect to visit in Lapeer and Fenton City before returning home.

To honor Mrs. Ollie McLeod, Misses Ned and Odie Sheehy gave a dinner party Thursday at the home of Mr. William Hovey. Crystal baskets of sweet peas formed the table decoration together with dainty place cards, while bowls of roses were used in the other rooms. After dinner four tables of "500" were arranged. Miss Annabelle McLeod held the highest score, Miss Colette Smith, second and Mrs. Ernest Borchers winning consolation. The guest of honor was presented with a nice gift, it being her birthday anniversary.

Reuben S. Babbitt has been engaged for caretaker of the local free tourist park. Tourists stopping at that place will appreciate this convenience, especially as Mr. Babbitt knows every section of the county probably better than any other living person and will be able to enlighten patrons of the park as to the many attractions we have to offer, and also direct them to any places they may desire to visit. His duties began there today.

Sixty ladies responded to the invitation of Mrs. Oscar Hanson to cards at the Lake Margrethe T. Shoppe on Saturday afternoon. Larkspur and ferns were used for decoration.

The afternoon was spent playing bridge and "500". Mrs. H. A. Bauman and Mrs. Esbern Hanson held the high scores for bridge and Miss Ingley and Mrs. Burton won the prizes for "500". Mrs. Hanson was assisted by Miss Virginia Hanson of Los Angeles, Miss Virginia Burden of Detroit and Misses Ella and Margrethe Hanson.

Mutt and Jeff have joined the Health Squad. Watch out window, Central Drug Store.

GARDEN GIVES LOVELY SETTING FOR WEDDING

A pretty wedding was solemnized Saturday evening at eight o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gunnell of 1125 Boston avenue, when Mrs. Gunnell's sister, Miss Margaret Marnien became the bride of Harry C. Cook of Detroit. The ceremony was performed on the spacious lawn which had been artistically decorated in pink and white for the occasion. Under an archway of flowers, with a beautiful background of palm trees, the young people spoke their vows before Rev. W. I. Francis, pastor of Lakeview Methodist church. The ring service was used. Baskets of flowers and decorated electric lights combined to make the entire beauty.

Every farmer who milks the cows should follow this method because milk is a good carrier of germs. Let no one fly live. Let us teach the smallest child to cover the mouth and nose in coughing and sneezing and observe the same ourselves. This takes time, but it takes time and money too to fight for life when illness comes and sometimes in vain, now it is not in vain. Let us put up "Don't spit" signs and take heed to malnutrition signs, that we may read in the children's faces and correct the defect whether of food habits or physical defects or rest, which cause it.

There is more latent tuberculosis in the country than we know. We all get the germs but we overcome them if we keep fit, and even when they are showing their effects we can win if we fight. Let us have a health examination yearly and prevent illness. Let us have a health clinic in our country.

Helen's grave is right beside the gate in the Frederic cemetery and she is calling to you from that grave, "Save the rest. The best way to save is to prevent, by immunizing, by isolation and by health building. Hear her call and the cry of the little ones from their graves. Let them not have died in vain."

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